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Federal Election Commission
999 E Street, NW
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Attn: Michael Young

RE: C00025379 - Reply to Dec. 27, 2000 correspondence
October Quarterly Report (8/24/00 - 9/30/00)

Dear Mr. Young:

This is in response to the above referenced correspondence.

Regarding the following items:

1. \$25,000 annual dues paid to the National Democratic Committee on 9/25/00 as shown in original report. As per our discussion on 1/9/00, the report (please see enclosed report) has been amended to show:
 - \$20,000 in dues on Schedule B, Line 17.
 - The balance of \$5,000 is reported on Schedule B, Line 21 and noted as being paid through excess campaign funds.
2. With regard to the 48 Hour Report items:
 - all contributions of \$1,000 or greater reported on pages 3 - 11 (except for the last item on pg. 11 - Leslie Altick), were reported in the 48 Hour report which was faxed to your office on 9/12/00. (A copy of the 48 Hour report has been included here for your reference.) These \$1,000 contributions were the only ones received prior to the primary. All other contributions were received on 9/30/00, as reported in this report. These would be outside the 48 Hours surrounding the primary. I don't understand what other 48 Hour report would be, or should be, filed. Please clarify. (I apologize for not being able to reach you via phone prior to submitting this letter, but I wanted to respond within your required time and circumstances would not allow me the luxury of a phone call as I was preparing this response. Unfortunately, I didn't have this letter with me when I spoke to you about the first item.)
3. Identification of all individuals who contribute in excess of \$200, our procedures are as follows: